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The Honorable L. Dean Brown
Deputy Under Secretary for Management
Department of State
Washington, D. C. 20520

Dear Dean:

On behalf of the Director and our Office of Training, I would like to thank you for your recent participation in the Agency's Senior Seminar Program. It is particularly appreciated that you took time from a very busy schedule to give this matter your personal attention.

As you are undoubtedly aware, we consider the Senior Seminar to be a key program in the development of a wider perspective for senior officers. We are quite selective in our screening process. You might be interested in knowing that the staff and Senior Seminar participants considered the day at the Department of State to be extremely informative and useful. I believe it is this type of exchange arrangement which will provide better understanding and pay dividends in the future, as these officers assume positions of increased responsibility.

Again, thank you for helping to make this a successful program.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jack
John F. Blake
Deputy Director
for
Administration

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